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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Seung-Hwan Oh

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Examiner: Anne L Damiano

Title: METHOD FOR PROCESSING ERROR OF RECEIVED PACKET
IN ETHERNET MAC LAYER

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on December 26, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

(Twice Amended) A method for processing a packet exceeding a predetermined size received from a physical layer by a MAC (Medium Access Control) layer of an Ethernet to be transmitted to a switch, the method comprising the steps of:

receiving a packet from the physical layer and transmitting the received packet to a

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